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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

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Dear Sir/Madam:

This Amendment is responsive to the Office Action mailed January 8, 2002. Please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION

At page 1, line 3, please add the following paragraph:

--This application claims domestic priority from earlier filed provisional application Serial No. 60/156,904, filed September 30, 1999.--

IN THE ABSTRACT

Please replace the Abstract with a new Abstract as shown in the attached sheet.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please cancel claims 3-5 and add newly presented claims 23-25.

Please amend claims 1, 6, 9, 21, and 22 as follows:

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1.(Amended) A golf swing aid for guiding a user through a golf swing when the user addresses a golf ball positioned at a center of the aid such that in relation to a stance of the user upon addressing the golf ball, the aid defines a forward extension and a rearward extension relative to the center, the golf swing aid comprising:

an arm path member having a substantially linear, elongate shape and having a leading end, a central portion, and a trailing end; and

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We are transmitting herewith the attached:

- Transmittal Sheet containing Certificate of Mailing (1 pg.).
- Amendment and Response (10 pgs.); Version with Markings to Show Changes Made (6 pgs.).
- Replacement Abstract (1 pg.)
- Check in the amount of \$ _____ for additional claims.
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CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
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TOTAL CLAIMS	22	-	22	1	x 9.00 =	\$0.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	2	-	3	3	x 42.00 =	\$0.00
[] MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS PRESENTED						\$0.00
TOTAL						\$0.00

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